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In re Application of:)
Sheng LIANG) Group Art Unit: 2126
Application No.: 09/069,088) Examiner: V. Nguyen
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For: METHOD, APPARATUS, AND)
ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE)
FOR TIME PROFILING MULTI-)
THREADED PROGRAMS)

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the Office Action dated April 8, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application based on the following remarks:

REMARKS

Claims 1-6, 8-22 and 24-33 remain pending in this application. In the Office Action dated April 8, 2004, claims 1-6, 8-22 and 24-33 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Jackson (U.S. Patent No. 5,297,274). Based on the following remarks, Applicant respectfully requests that the rejection of claims 1-6, 8-22 and 24-33 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) be withdrawn and the claims allowed.